

The Business Guide.

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The Industrial Interests of our People are Paramount to Every Other Consideration.

It is earnestly hoped that all readers of this Paper will yield gently to its doctrines and aid in its circulation.

If you have any grievances consult a physician. If you have no business of your own, get married or go to work.

If you are pleased with the Paper, aid it; if you do not like it, hand it to a sensible neighbor.

Be serious, and help in advancing the interests of your community.

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Mrs. "Lizzie" McCuiston Dead.

Mrs. Elizabeth McCuiston, widow of the late R. D. McCuiston, died at her home five miles east of this city Sunday forenoon, aged 80 years and 27 days. Mrs. McCuiston was a noble christian woman of the most devout type, and had lived out more than her allotted time. The burial took place at Friendland Moravian Church, on Monday, where she had been a member from early childhood, and was conducted by Rev. J. K. Pfohl. She leaves two sons and three daughters, besides a very large number of relatives and friends scattered over the entire United States.

Walkertown N. C.

The Ladies Aid Society of Walkertown, with Mrs. T. A. Crews, Mrs. Nunn and Mrs. C. V. Pegram, as a committee appointed to raise funds to build a new parsonage for Loves' Church, with the aid of other good women, gave an Oyster Supper last Saturday night at the school house in Walkertown, which was carried out in first class style, the proceeds amounting to \$46.50.

China is beginning to shake off her lethargy, and she lets the world know that she is aiming to be one of the great world powers.

Heavy Trading In Dennis.

Some few weeks ago John H. Fulton came over to Winston from Dennis. While in the city a certain liveryman induced John to carry a windbroken mule away from the stable. After Johnny reached home the right honorable A. G. Martin, J. P., saw the mule and agreed to give Johnny a \$23 cutaway harrow if he would let him have the mule. Johnny hesitated a moment, and finally agreed to the proposition. Martin led the mule away, exulting over his good trade. Next day Martin came back to Dennis and protested to Johnny that the old mule had a broken windpipe and was therefore unable to swallow. Johnny heard his tale of woe and told him he would allow him under the circumstances to carry back the harrow, but that he could also keep the mule, as they were bretheren in the lodge. Martin shouldered his harrow and strode away toward home. When he reached his home that evening he was met at the gate and told that his mule was dead. The question arises, who really was cheated in that trade.

Three cottages and a barn burned in North Winston on Wednesday morning.

A Peculiar Guinea.

Mr. C. W. Parrish, out at Walkertown, N. C., has a guinea hen eleven years of age that is somewhat peculiar. The hen lays eggs yet and is as gentle as a cat. On cold mornings the guinea will walk into the house, lay down in front of the fire with its feet as close to the fire as it can comfortably stand and remain in that position until it gets thoroughly warmed, when it will go out into the yard and parade around with the chickens until its feet get cold, when it will come back into the house and go through the same operation.

Some of papers are wanting to know if playing enchre is gambling. Course it is. There is just as much gambling in Mrs. So-and-so winning a cut glass cake dish as there is in a man raking off a hundred dollar jack pot in a game of poker. The only difference is, one is plain, every-day gambling, while the other is "society gambling."—Hornet.

A few days ago said the Germany was seen at he act. was found to have a christia bullet wound in the his by shot had been heard, and found the bullet can gun some three miles where a troop was practicing.